



## CHAMPAIGN COUNTY EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY

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Report for the Board

### November

We conducted the monthly radio tests with local agencies and IEMA. EMA participated in an Illinois National Guard and Rantoul Police Department Drill at Lincoln's Challenge Academy with the mobile command post. The Deputy Director gave a tour of the mobile command post and the County Emergency Operations Center to members of the Illinois National Guard and Polish Military Distinguished Visitors. We had a severe weather activation on November 14<sup>th</sup>. We monitored the national emergency warning test and did interviews with the local media about the test. We had our quarterly Regional Emergency Coordination Group (RECG) meeting at the new Illinois Fire Service Institute (IFSI) building. We met with Regional Planning Commission about Geographic Information System (GIS) support for emergency management. We met with Grainger representatives about private sector support in disaster situations. EMA was approached about partnering with Animal Rescue Volunteers for developing a plan and core group to support the sheltering and care of animals in disasters. EMA and ILEAS are partnering again for winter storm support in regards to using the ILEAS training facility for sheltering of personnel.